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Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.121 (the "Notice") mailed March 23, 2007 in the above-identified application (the "Application"). Applicants respectfully request entry of this response into the record, and reconsideration of the Application, in light of the following remarks, which begin on page 2 of this paper.